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PART IV.

OFFICIAL PAPERS.

Season Report for the Week ending with the 51st Saturday in 1911 (23rd December 1911).

District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday								Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
	This week		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1911							
					This year		Average of past ten years		Excess (+) or defect (—) of column 4 compared with column 5			
1	2		3		4		5		6		7	
	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		This week
Bangalore C. & M. Station	...	...	...	...	31	91	...	...	...	...	...	...
„ City & Taluk	...	...	...	10	29	01	37	33	— 8	32	...	Seers
Hoskote	...	...	...	10	23	08	34	66	—11	58	...	...
Dodballapur	...	...	...	03	21	60	32	09	—10	49	Rice, 2nd sort.	6·50
Nelamangala	...	...	...	22	28	05	30	53	— 2	48		
Kankanhalli	...	...	...	17	35	44	32	55	+ 2	89	Ragi	13·00
Magadi	...	...	...	07	27	36	34	26	— 6	90	Kulthi	14·00
Channapatna	...	...	...	41	27	34	33	14	— 5	80	Kadale	8·00
Anekal	...	...	...	22	30	07	37	67	— 7	60	...	
Devanhalli	...	...	...	17	29	23	33	53	— 4	30	...	
Closepet	...	...	...	30	28	74	35	89	— 7	15	...	
District average	...	...	...	18	27	99	34	16	— 6	17	...	
Kolar	...	...	...	36	21	89	24	89	— 3	00	...	
Bowringpet	...	...	...	48	19	68	28	12	— 8	44	Rice, 2nd sort.	6·50 to 7·00
Chintamani	...	...	...	27	24	30	26	23	— 1	93		
Mulbagal	...	...	...	52	18	36	30	97	—12	61	...	
Sidlaghatta	...	...	...	14	28	42	30	56	— 2	14	Ragi	12·50
Chikballapur	...	...	...	08	28	93	32	62	— 3	69		
Bagepalli	...	...	...	29	17	24	24	51	— 7	27	...	
Goribidnur	...	...	...	12	20	50	27	75	— 7	25	Kulthi	14·00
Malur	...	...	...	27	24	81	30	32	— 5	51	...	
Srinivaspur	...	...	...	20	25	18	29	60	— 4	42	...	
Gudibanda	...	...	...	29	24	55	31	25	— 6	70	Kadale	9·00 to 9·50
District average	...	...	...	27	23	08	28	80	— 5	72	...	
Tumkur	...	...	...	15	19	61	35	57	—15	96	...	
Maddagiri	...	...	...	18	19	86	27	81	— 7	95	...	
Chiknayakanhalli	...	...	...	05	21	56	27	03	— 5	47	...	
Sira	...	...	...	24	14	54	23	18	— 8	64	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·00
Gubbi	...	...	...	12	18	85	30	12	—11	27		
Tiptur	...	...	...	20	20	33	24	72	— 4	39	Ragi	15·00
Pavagada	...	...	...	15	15	88	20	40	— 4	52	Kulthi	18·00
Kunigal	...	...	...	15	20	39	28	74	— 8	35	Kadale	8·00
Koratagere	...	...	...	10	21	69	26	23	— 4	54		
Turuvekere	...	...	...	21	14	74	27	37	—12	63		
District average	...	...	...	16	19	75	27	12	— 7	37		

Past week	Past n years' fortnightly average
Seers	Seers
6·50	7·67
13·00	14·40
15·75	...
8·00	8·91
7·00	7·56
13·00	14·63
14·00	...
9·50	8·43
6·50	7·70
14·00	16·27
16·00	...
8·00	7·87

District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A. M. on Saturday						Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
	This week		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1911					
					This year		Average of past ten years		Excess (+) or defect (—) of column 4 compared with column 5	
1	2		3		4		5		6	
	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.
MYSORE.										
Mysore	...	...	...	22	31	72	30	45	+ 1	27
Chamrajnagar	...	...	...	22	27	08	29	53	— 2	45
Seringapatam	...	...	...	43	25	83	29	30	— 3	47
Hunsur	...	...	...	10	35	15	31	53	+ 3	62
Yedatore	...	...	...	39	31	85	24	94	+ 6	91
Heggaddevankote	...	...	...	10	38	04	37	32	+ 0	72
Gundlupet	...	...	...	34	33	04	26	62	+ 6	42
Nanjangud	...	...	...	22	27	51	28	84	— 1	33
T.-Narsipur	...	...	...	17	39	61	28	24	+11	37
Malvalli	...	...	...	15	24	64	30	03	— 5	39
Mandya	...	...	...	19	26	24	28	55	— 2	31
Krishnarajpete	...	...	...	43	29	41	30	35	— 0	94
Nagamangala	...	...	...	30	22	32	27	11	— 4	79
District average...	...	...	...	25	30	19	29	45	+ 0	74
HASSAN.										
Hassan	...	...	...	60	33	17	35	17	—2	...
Manjarabad (Saklespur)	...	...	...	41	97	70	88	36	+ 9	34
Arkalgud	...	...	...	30	40	93	37	22	+ 3	71
Belur	...	...	...	52	40	91	40	95	— 0	04
Channarayapatna	...	...	...	51	33	47	26	31	+ 7	16
Arsikere	...	...	...	32	26	17	26	52	— 0	35
Hole-Narsipur	...	...	...	25	31	66	28	53	+ 3	13
Alur	...	...	...	46	44	12	45	57	— 1	45
District average...	...	...	...	42	43	52	41	08	+ 2	44
SHIMOGA.										
Shimoga	...	...	...	24	30	22	33	63	— 3	41
Channagiri	...	...	...	14	27	08	28	29	— 1	21
Honnali	...	...	...	30	25	91	22	16	+ 3	75
Shikarpur	...	...	...	12	36	39	36	31	+ 0	08
Sorab	...	...	...	21	61	85	58	51	+ 3	34
Sagar	...	...	...	11	74	26	79	75	— 5	49
Nagar (Kallurkatte)	...	...	...	18	94	50	99	98	— 5	48
Tirthahalli	...	...	...	26	118	72	115	91	+ 2	81
Kumsi	...	...	...	24	35	98	41	21	— 5	23
District average...	...	...	...	20	56	10	57	31	— 1	21
KADUR.										
Chikmagalur	...	...	...	16	39	40	36	36	+ 3	04
Kadur	...	...	...	43	19	16	22	50	— 3	34
Tarikere	...	...	...	36	31	80	35	02	— 3	22
Koppa	...	...	...	30	107	09	116	80	— 9	71
Mudgere	...	...	...	49	82	09	91	66	— 9	57
Yedahalli	...	...	...	08	76	73	68	87	+ 7	86
Sringeri	...	...	...	50	128	57	139	15	—10	58
District average...	...	...	...	33	69	26	72	85	— 3	59
CHITALDRUG.										
Chitaldrug	...	...	...	14	19	47	25	31	— 5	84
Challakere	...	...	...	14	13	08	16	58	— 3	50
Hiriyur	...	...	...	01	28	32	19	60	— 7	72
Holalkere	...	...	...	31	17	51	24	57	— 7	06
Davangere	...	...	...	11	16	29	24	80	— 8	51
Molakalmuru	...	...	...	02	13	20	23	88	—10	68
Jagalur	...	...	...	13	13	23	21	78	— 8	55
Hosdurga	...	...	...	23	22	20	24	23	— 2	03
Harihar	...	...	...	18	12	55	22	69	—10	14
District average...	...	...	...	14	17	31	22	60	— 5	29
Provincial average...	...	...	...	24	35	90	39	17	— 3	27

Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
	This week	Past week	Past year fortnight average
	Seers	Seers	Seers
Rice, 2nd sort.	7·00	7·00	8·
Ragi	15·00	15·00	15·
Kulthi	16·00	16·00	
Kadale	8·00	8·00	8·
Rice, 2nd sort.	8·00	8·00	8·
Ragi	17·00	17·00	16·
Kulthi	16·00	16·00	
Kadale	8·00	8·00	7·
Rice, 2nd sort.	7·50	7·50	9·
Ragi	17·00	17·00	19·
Kulthi	14·00	14·00	
Rice, 2nd sort.	8·50	8·00	9·
Ragi	16·00	16·00	16·
Kulthi	15·00	16·00	
Kadale	9·00	9·00	7·
Rice, 2nd sort.	7·50	7·50	7·
Ragi	18·00	18·00	18·
Kulthi	18·00	18·00	
Cholum	16·00	16·00	18·
Kadale	9·00	9·00	7·

NOTE.—Rice (husked)—Oryza Sativa. Ragi—Eleusine Corocana. Kulthi—(Horse gram) Dolichos Biflorus. Cholum—Sorghum Vulgare. Kadale—(Bengal gram) Cicer Arietinum.

DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

	Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains—Rice ...	7·41	7·19	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas.
Ragi ...	13·50	13·40	
Rangoon rice, 2nd sort not available.			

Agricultural operations.—Ragi is under harvest.

Cattle are in good condition. Water and fodder are sufficient.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed in parts of the Devanhalli Taluk for the cultivation of Vaisakhi paddy.

Standing crops.—Avare, togari, kulthi, paddy, sugar cane, hutchellu, samé and other minor crops are in good condition.

Crops sown.—Potatoes in parts of the Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks.

Crops harvested and their yield.—

In parts of the Bangalore Taluk—Ragi, yield from 4 to 8 annas.
Do Paddy, yield from 6 to 8 annas.
Do Samé, do
Do Haraka, yield from 4 to 6 annas.
In parts of the Nelamangala Taluk—Ragi, yield from 4 to 12 annas.
In parts of the Kankanhalli Taluk—Ragi, yield 12 annas.
Do Paddy, yield 8 annas.
In parts of the Anekal Taluk—Paddy, yield 12 annas.
Do Sugar cane, yield 8 annas.

Also ragi in parts of the Dodballapur, Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks; haraka in parts of the Magadi Taluk; hutchellu in parts of the Magadi Taluk and avare and kulthi in parts of the Anekal Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are sufficiently available. Labour is available to the cooly classes.

11. Except for plague prevailing in parts of all the taluks, except the Closepet Sub-Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy in all the taluks. Water, green pasture and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing for Vaisakhi paddy and harvesting of Kartheeka paddy and ragi, are going on.

Standing crops.—Paddy, sugar cane and mulberry are reported to be in good condition.

Crops sown.—Bengal gram in the Mulbagal and Bagepalli Taluks and paddy in the latter taluk.

Crops harvested and their probable outturn.—Paddy and ragi in almost all the taluks, yield from 4 to 8 annas and sugar cane in the Bagepalli and Goribidnur Taluks, yield from 6 to 12 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are fairly good. Food stuffs are available. Labour is available to the cooly classes.

11. Except for plague in parts of the Kolar, Chintamani, Sidlaghatta, Chikballapur, Goribidnur, Malur and Bagepalli Taluks and in Srinivaspur town, public health is generally good.

12. Except for "Chappe roga" in a few villages of the Mulbagal Taluk, cattle are reported to be generally healthy.